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| INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO.: PCT/CH99/00521 | INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: 05 November 1999 (05.11.99) | PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: 11 November 1998 (11.11.98) | | | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: VEHICLE ROOFLINING AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING THE SAME | | | | | | | |
| APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: AGGARWAL, Anuj; KHAN, Hameed; CREPEAU, Howard; ALTS, Thorsten | | | | | | | |
| Applicant hereby submits to the Unites States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: | | | | | | | |
| 1. X This is a FIRST submission of ite | This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | | |
| 2 This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. | | | | | | | |
| 3. X This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f) The submission must include items(5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. | | | | | | | |
| 4. X A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date. | | | | | | | |
| 5. X A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)): | | | | | | | |
| a. X is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b has been communicated by the International Bureau. c is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) | | | | | | | |
| 6. X A English translation of the Interr | national Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2). | | | | | | |
| 7. X Amendments to the claims of the | International Application under PCT Article 19 (3 | 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) | | | | | |
| a are attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b have been communicated by the International Bureau. c have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d X have not been made and will not be made. | | | | | | | |
| 8 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). | | | | | | | |
| 9 An oath or declaration of the inventor | (s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). | | | | | | |
| 10 A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). | | | | | | | |
| ITEMS 11 to 20 BELOW CONCERN OT | HER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION IN | CLUDED: | | | | | |
| 11 An Information Disclosure Statem | ent under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. | | | | | | |
| 12 An assignment document for recor | ding. A separate cover sheet in compliance with | 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. | | | | | |
| 18. A second copy of the published int | reliminary amendment | | | | | | |
| PUBLICATION DATE 18 MAY ? COVER SHEET CONTAINING ? SHEETS DRAWINGS; PRELIMI INVENTOR'S DECLARATION; | ALCULATION; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATI 2000 WITH ENGLISH TRANSLATION CONSI THE ABSTRACT; 9 PAGES TEXTUAL SPECIF NARY AMENDMENT WITH CLEAN COPY AL PCT/ISA/210 INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REI I REPORT; PCT/RO/101 REQUEST. | ISTING OF 15 PAGES INCLUDING; 1 FICATION, 3 PAGES OF 12 CLAIMS; 2 ND MARKED UP COPY; UNEXECUTED | | | | | |



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| 17. x. The following fees are submitted: Basic National Fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5): Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO:\$860.00 International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO (37 CFR 1.482) | | | | CALCULATIONS PTO USE ONLY \$860.00 | | |
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| b. — | Please charge my Deposit Account No. 14-0112 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. (A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.) | | | | | | | |
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Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

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- (2) Transmittal Letter To U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) Concerning Filing under 35 U.S.C. 371
- (3) International Publication No: WO 00/27671 International Publication Date: 18 May 2000 (18.05.00) with English translation consisting of 15 pages including:
 - 1 cover sheet containing the Abstract
 - 9 pages Textual Specification
 - 3 Pages of 12 claims
 - 2 Sheets of Drawings
- (4) Preliminary Amendment with clean-copy and marked-up copy
- (5) Unexecuted Inventor's Declaration
- (6) PCT/ISA/210 International Search Report
- (7) PCT/IPEA/409 International Preliminary Examination Report
- (8) PCT/RO/101 Request
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